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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no	53	65	96	62	67
Unemployment rate	%	2.8	3.4	5.1	3.1	3.4
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	486	540	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	4.8	4.0	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	7,357	1,424	-
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	1,847	1,760	-
Non-taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	70.7	72.4	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	41,266	44,371	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	-	-	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	9,628	9,220	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	22	21	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	2,336	2,330	-
Non-taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	72.4	82.4	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	34,176	38,810	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Capital	no	420	452	412	410	450
Age Pension - DVA	no	70	70	70	70	70
Carers Payment	no	70	70	70	20	70
Disability Support Pension	no	120	120	120	120	141
Newstart Allowance	no	73	62	74	76	73
Pensioner Payment - Single	no	64	62	60	58	53
Youth Allowance	no	80	80	87	47	50
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	61.8	53.2	63.5	57.9	72.0
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wages and salary earners	no	1,715	1,748	1,795	1,762	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	56.5	58.2	61.4	64.2	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	32,910	33,710	34,160	36,600	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no	582	552	580	573	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.3	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	11,987	9,242	7,184	540	-
Investment earners	no	1,281	1,354	1,361	1,403	-
Investment income	\$m	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	-
Average investment income	\$	8,680	7,232	8,412	9,004	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no	120	120	120	120	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.7	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	15,970	16,342	17,502	19,176	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	263	272	277	291	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1,364	1,007	1,362	1,654	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	74.1	75.5	79.7	80.3	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	183	152	156	159	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	183	174	166	145	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	211	212	216	220	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	242	229	242	213	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	124	135	149	164	-
Males - 65 years and over	no	38	33	43	41	-
Males - Total	no	924	924	945	950	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	139	133	137	120	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	140	158	160	146	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	171	171	171	174	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	208	208	217	218	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	104	112	124	120	-
Females - 65 years and over	no	47	47	47	44	-
Females - Total	no	811	814	850	828	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	367	285	293	286	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	312	333	333	291	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	410	404	418	439	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	421	430	432	420	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	220	241	231	264	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no	42	44	55	55	-
Persons - Total	no	1,715	1,748	1,795	1,762	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no	146	157	166	168	-
Professionals	no	219	222	226	223	-
Associate Professionals	no	43	43	43	43	-
Tradepersons and Related Workers	no	183	156	191	182	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	28	31	21	33	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	20	20	20	14	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	113	110	140	145	-
Elementary Production and Transport Workers	no	118	128	132	152	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no	374	374	380	386	-
Non-laborers	no	21	19	19	19	-
Total wage and salary earners	no	1,720	1,751	1,801	1,788	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June						
Net worth per household	\$1000	416.2	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	603.5	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	275.8	-	-	-	-
Asset per household	\$1000	454.8	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	43.8	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	9.5	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						-
Non-employing business entries	no	240	270	273	180	-
Employing business 1-4 employees	no	78	90	114	152	-
Employing business 5 or more employees	no	68	68	63	72	-
Total businesses	no	380	378	380	402	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						-
Non-employing business entries	no	18	30	48	36	-
Employing business entries	no	20	20	20	20	-
Total business entries	no	38	60	60	54	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						-
Non-employing business exits	no	21	40	24	30	-
Employing business exits	no	9	0	6	6	-
Total business exits	no	30	40	30	36	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no	132	132	126	126	-
Manufacturing	no	21	20	21	16	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	20	20	24	-
Construction	no	42	42	54	52	-
Wholesale, retail trade	no	36	36	36	42	-
Retail trade	no	27	27	27	36	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no	21	21	20	24	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no	3	3	6	12	-
Communication services	no	15	12	9	15	-
Finance and insurance	no	68	63	54	46	-
Property and business services	no	21	21	21	21	-
Education, health and community services	no	0	0	3	3	-
Health and community services	no	0	0	3	3	-
Cultural and recreational services	no	6	3	9	9	-
Residential other services	no	2	2	3	4	-
Total businesses	no	380	378	380	402	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	91	86
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	109	114
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	148	144
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	134	129
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	82	83
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	81	91
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	108	108
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	131	126
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	144	143
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	133	132
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	160	167
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	115	111
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	111	126
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	93	96
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	70	65
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	54	68
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	33	32
Males - 85 years and over	no.	20	20
Males - Total	no.	1 817	1 841
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	129	137
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	114	122
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	116	116
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	108	103
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	65	67
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	87	84
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	99	101
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	132	131
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	125	128
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	155	154
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	131	137
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	148	152
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	94	104
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	83	74
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	74	73
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	68	70
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	50	51
Females - 85 years and over	no.	50	55
Females - Total	no.	1 828	1 859
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	220	223
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	223	236
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	264	260

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	242	232
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	147	150
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	168	175
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	207	209
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	263	257
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	269	271
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	288	286
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	291	304
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	263	263
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	205	230
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	176	170
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	144	138
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	122	138
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	83	83
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	70	75
Persons - Total	no.	3 645	3 700

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	47	35
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.3	2.3
Deaths	no.	40	22
Standardised death rate	rate	7.6	6.7

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2006	2007	2008
95	85	78
108	113	114
153	131	119
128	137	138
88	98	104
95	88	81
107	103	103
133	149	158
137	134	130
134	144	159
159	137	123
124	144	160
135	138	125
96	95	105
65	70	82
64	68	64
35	36	34
23	24	29
1 879	1 894	1 906
132	157	164
133	126	137
126	123	121
94	95	95
64	67	68
91	102	103
102	95	90
128	131	133
134	128	126
149	157	153
146	156	163
159	137	130
112	135	154
72	79	80
77	78	80
68	69	69
56	57	61
53	52	57
1 896	1 944	1 984
227	242	242
241	239	251
279	254	240

222	232	233
152	165	172
186	190	184
209	198	193
261	280	291
271	262	256
283	301	312
305	293	286
283	281	290
247	273	279
168	174	185
142	148	162
132	137	133
91	93	95
76	76	86
3 775	3 838	3 890

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5.7 - -
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12.7 - -
48.9 - -

20.0 - -
12.8 - -
14.5 - -
7.8 - -
10.0 - -
6.2 - -

6.3	-	-
20.8	-	-
1.6	-	-

361	-	-
34	-	-
964	-	-
1 359	-	-

365	-	-
63	-	-
423	-	-
74	-	-
36	-	-
11	-	-
972	-	-

3 008	-	-
412	-	-
2 011	-	-
1 199	-	-

0.0	-	-
100.0	-	-
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0.0	-	-

0.0	-	-
54.7	-	-
22.2	-	-
23.1	-	-

32.9	-	-
21.3	-	-
6.7	-	-
1.6	-	-
12.8	-	-

34.0	-	-
19.4	-	-
0.8	-	-
54.1	-	-

2.2	2.0	2.1
37	30	35
6.9	6.0	6.7



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	27	27
Total dwelling units	no.	30	27
Value of private sector houses	\$m	5.0	5.4
Value of new residential building	\$m	5.4	5.4
Value of total residential building	\$m	6.4	6.0
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.6	0.7
Value of total building	\$m	7.0	6.7
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	185.2	198.2
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 352	2 430
Campervans	no.	19	23
Light commercial vehicles	no.	816	851
Light rigid trucks	no.	18	22
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	159	157
Articulated trucks	no.	65	66
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	6	6
Buses	no.	25	29
Motorcycles	no.	130	133
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	3 589	3 718
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	645	657
Campervans	no.	5	6
Light commercial vehicles	no.	224	230
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	6
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	44	42
Articulated trucks	no.	18	18
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	2
Buses	no.	7	8
Motorcycles	no.	36	36
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	985	1 005
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	701	733
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	793	892
10 years or older	no.	2 093	2 091
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	2 896	2 946

Diesel	no.	567	638
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	126	134

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
36	23	26
36	30	29
7.7	5.5	6.0
7.7	6.9	6.5
8.5	7.5	7.6
0.3	3.3	1.6
8.8	10.8	9.2
213.5	241.0	231.5
2 416	2 419	2 395
24	24	25
893	908	920
18	16	19
154	152	151
73	82	86
5	5	6
29	30	26
150	172	182
3 762	3 808	3 810
640	630	616
6	6	6
237	237	237
5	4	5
41	40	39
19	21	22
1	1	2
8	8	7
40	45	47
997	992	979
746	739	696
951	978	999
2 062	2 089	2 113
2 936	2 917	2 901

696	747	777
130	144	132

9.2	-	-
7.1	-	-
1.5	-	-
17.9	-	-

42 010.7	-	-
7 781.2	-	-
0.0	-	-
27.7	-	-
27.7	-	-
1 990.2	-	-

67 301	-	-
213	-	-
13 574	-	-
922	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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	2006	2007	2008
	-	-	527.1
42	-	-	
2	-	-	
4 629	-	-	
444	-	-	
5 073	-	-	
4.8	-	-	